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News Release

TRAFFIC ADVISORY

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The Harrisonburg Police Department would like to inform the public of areas that will be congested on Saturday, May 7 for James Madison University's annual Commencement Ceremonies.

The following streets and intersections will be crowded with traffic and pedestrians:

- 900 block of South Main Street
- Intersection of Cantrell Avenue and Paul Street
- Intersection of Cantrell Avenue and Mason Street
- Intersection of Reservoir Street and Evelyn Byrd Avenue
- Port Republic Road and I-81 Interchange
- Neff Avenue from Reservoir Street to Port Republic Road
- University Boulevard.

Motorists should expect delays and heavy traffic throughout Harrisonburg. Please use caution and be vigilant for pedestrians along the road and crossing streets.

Shuttle buses will also be transporting people from local hotels to the various ceremonies. Bus riders are encouraged to board the bus as early as possible.

During the commencement ceremonies permit parking WILL NOT be enforced.

Traffic information and updates will be broadcast on 1610 AM. Additional traffic and transportation information can be found at
<http://www.jmu.edu/jmuweb/general/news/general11623.shtml>.

On behalf of HPD, congratulations and best wishes to the Class of 2011!